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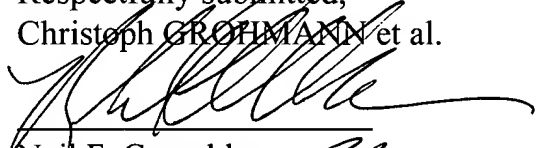
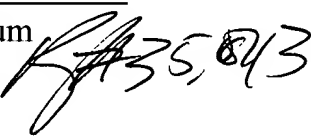
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Sir:

Please extend the time for response to the Official Action dated May 8, 2003 by three (3) months, from August 8, 2003 to November 10, 2003 (November 8, 2003 being a Saturday). A check including the amount of \$ 950.00 is enclosed as payment for the fee.

The undersigned hereby authorizes the crediting of any overpayment or the charging of any additional fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Respectfully submitted,
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